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In re Application of: Carlo RUBBIA

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Examiner: J. Keith

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Title: NEUTRON-DRIVEN ELEMENT TRANSMUTER

CUSTOMER NO. 28465

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AMENDMENT C

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed June 2, 2003, please amend the present application as follows.

Please amend claims 1, 5, 17, 20 and 40 as shown on the following sheets. This style of amendment follows the Official Gazette Notice of January 25, 2003, in which a single set of all of the claims, showing their present status and amendments, is presented.